

REMARKS

Claims 1-12, 15-18, 21, and 24-36 are pending in this application. Claims 1-11, 21 and 25 are allowed.

Claim Amendment

Claims 12, 15-18, 24 and 26 are being cancelled.

Claims 27-30 are being amended to delete the phrase “or a composition according to claim 10”.

New Claims

Claims 32-36 have been added. Support for these claims can be found in previously presented claims 27-31.

Claim Objection

Claims 27-31 are objected under 37 C.F.R. 1.75(c) as being in improper form because a multiple dependent claim cannot depend on another multiple dependent claim. As indicated above, claims 27-31 have been amended so that the instant claims are no longer dependent from claim 10, which is a multiple claim, obviating the objection respect to these claims. Reconsideration and withdrawal of the objection are respectfully requested.

Claim Rejections under 35 U.S.C. § 112, first paragraph

Claims 15-18, 24 and 26 stand rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 112, first paragraph. The Examiner contends that the specification does not reasonably provide enablement for the subject matter recited in the claims.

As indicated above, claims 15-18, 24 and 26 have been cancelled, obviating the rejection respect to these claims. Reconsideration and withdrawal of the rejection are respectfully requested.

Information Disclosure Statement

An Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) is being filed concurrently herewith. Entry of the IDS is respectfully requested.

CONCLUSION

In view of the above amendments and remarks, it is believed that all claims are in condition for allowance, and it is respectfully requested that the application be passed to issue. If the Examiner feels that a telephone conference would expedite prosecution of this case, the Examiner is invited to call the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

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